

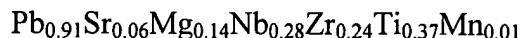
IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 43-47. Please add new claims 48-52 as indicated below.

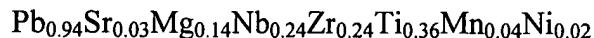
The currently pending claims are therefore as follows:

1-47. Cancelled

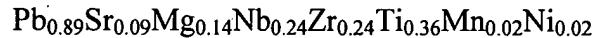
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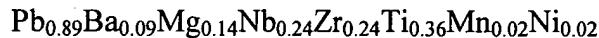
49. (New) A PZT-type piezoelectric ceramic composition consisting essentially of Pb, Sr, Mg, Nb, Zr, Ti, Mn, and Ni in the following relative amounts:



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51. (New) A PZT-type piezoelectric ceramic composition consisting essentially of Pb, Ba, Mg, Nb, Zr, Ti, Mn, and Ni in the following relative amounts:



52. (New) A PZT-type piezoelectric ceramic composition consisting essentially of Pb, Sr, Mg, Nb, Zr, Ti, Mn, and Ni in the following relative amounts:

